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MARTIAL LAW

Has Been Declared by Sheriff Lowrey in Three Townships.

He is Determined to Stop the Marching of Strikers—One Camp Abandoned.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 17.—Martial law has been declared in Plum, Patton and Wilkins townships by Sheriff Lowrey. The three mines of the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company are in these townships, and all roads leading to them will be patrolled by his deputies. Persons walking or driving along the roads who cannot give a satisfactory account of himself or herself, will be ordered to leave the neighborhood, and upon refusal, will be arrested.

The sheriff will not attempt to break up the camp of the strikers until the court has passed on the question, but announced today that he is determined to stop the marching and trespassing on the companies property. No one will be allowed on the companies property who fails to have a pass signed by Superintendent DeArmit.

There are now nearly 800 men in the camp at Plum Creek. After the mutiny at Sandy Creek yesterday the camp at that point was abandoned and the men went to Plum Creek. In addition 200 men arrived at 3 o'clock this morning from Belle Vernon. The large increase in the number in camp has caused a shortage of provisions and the men are hungry. They threatened to march during the morning but were induced not to do so by the deputies. Last night it was decided to have the women march, as the injunction did not include them. The order of the sheriff to arrest all persons, however, caused a change in the program, and there was no march. Sheriff Lowrey said he would disperse the women as quickly as the men, as he interpreted the court's order to mean to enjoin not only the men, but all who attempted to interfere with the DeArmit mines in any way by a show of force.

There were twenty-two evictions near Plum Creek during the day, of striking miners. The evictions began at noon yesterday. Passengers on the morning train from Pittsburg to Turtle Creek say a man who gave his name as John Monroe who said he was from the Olero mine announced he was going to kill Sam DeArmit. The claim is made that there are a number anarchists in the vicinity of the mines who are after the DeArmits. They are not in the camp.

Samuel DeArmit is under arrest by the sheriff. Neither he or the sheriff will say for what, but the strikers say it is to prevent his arrest by any constable, which would be impossible as long as he is under the sheriff's custody.

Sixteen more men went into Plum Creek mine this morning. The strikers say only twenty men are at work, while the company say they have 250 men. The output yesterday was seven cars of lump, and three cars of screened coal.

LABOR LEADERS WILL NOT WAIT.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 17.—The strike leaders, for some reason, have abandoned the idea of having a meeting of the heads of the different labor organizations to devise ways and means of battling with an adverse ruling of the court on the miners' injunction. President Dolan says a meeting of the union officers may be held on Thursday, but if it is, it will be for another purpose.

There is a rumor current that the DeArmits have arranged for the importation of 200 foreign workmen next Monday to work in the Turtle Creek and Plum Creek mines. This is denied by Thomas DeArmit, who says the company has enough men working and that there is no need of importing other miners. In spite of all denials, however, it is believed that the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal company will give notice to all strikers that they are willing to re-employ all the old hands, and should the strikers not choose to return to work within a few days, the company will try to employ some who will work.

The work of securing the uniformity agreement is progressing favorably and in a few days the list will be ready for publication. About thirty operators are said to have signed, but the company is not willing to say whether or not any of the larger operators are on the list.

STRIKERS MARCHING.

At Turtle Creek, fifty strikers without leaders or music, and with nothing at their head but the American flag, marched from Camp Determination this morning on the Oak Hill mines. This was done unexpectedly and in violation of the restraining order temporarily continued by the court yesterday. Before reaching the mines, Sheriff Lowrey and a posse met the marchers and ordered them back to camp. The strikers reluctantly turned back, sorely displeased but peaceful. While the men were going to work this morning they had to pass through two rows of French women, headed by Mrs. Jennie DeWitte and Mrs. Marie Brown. The women called at the men on the way to work and threatened to hit them with stones, although they did not do so. The men hurried past as fast as they could, fearing to say anything, as the women looked desperate. When the men had all passed the women went to their homes, saying that they would be out again tomorrow morning.

PRESIDENT DOLAN TALKS.

The miners' officials express themselves as well satisfied with the injunction proceedings.

"According to the court," said President Dolan, "the injunction only restrains us from doing what we have not done and what we did not intend to do. The camps will be continued and conducted as usual until further notice. We have abundant assurance of help, and all the reports that we are destitute have no foundation."

President Dolan said he was misquoted or misunderstood yesterday when giving his testimony at the injunction hearing. "I did not intend to say or convey the impression," said he, "that Operators Shields, Blythe and Smythe and other operators had requested me to order a strike. They never told me to get DeArmit's men on a strike, but did say, and it is the general impression among all miners, that DeArmit is responsible for the deplorable condition of affairs in the Pittsburg district."

Meetings will be held at Irwin tonight, at Monongahela City tomorrow and Canonsburg on Saturday. If successful at Irwin, a camp will be established there. The decision in the injunction case will probably not be handed down before tomorrow.

Four more suits were entered against Superintendent Samuel DeArmit today by strikers and their wives, the charges being disorderly conduct.

STRIKERS GAIN IN WEST VIRGINIA.

Wheeling, W. Va., Aug. 17.—The strikers show material gains in all sections of West Virginia today. In the Wheeling district there is not a miner working, while on the Ohio side of the river, the last man except those who are to furnish coal for water and electric light plants will be out tonight. In the Fairmont district the strike leaders did not succeed in closing the Montana mine entirely, but they made decided gains. The camp will be maintained there till the last man leaves his work, when these recruits will be taken with the main body to the other Watson company's mines to help close them.

In the Kanawha Valley about 300 men have gone to work since yesterday morning, but more than that number have left their work. The trouble is that the mines are so far apart that concentrated action is hard to get. In the Norfolk and Western region the organizers have gone to work again with a will, and in sufficient numbers to prove effective. The leaders are getting on to the United States court injunctions and find, upon careful reading, that they prohibit nothing but trespass, and do not apply to speech-making or assemblage on public ground. They are no longer a cause of alarm to the organizers.

PASTOR HIGGS AND WIFE

Surprised by a Large Number of Church People.

Last evening the members of the West Creighton avenue Church of Christ gave a surprise party at the home of their pastor and wife, Rev. and Mrs. John J. Higgs. They met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zwahlen, and from there marched in a body to the parsonage. Fully 100 guests were present. It was a surprise to the pastor and wife. Elder Romeran made the introductory speech, after which all the members were called upon to make a few remarks. All with one accord stated their appreciation of their pastor and wife, and of the great good that has been accomplished.

Mr. Higgs is a young man of more than ordinary ability, and he is a power in the pulpit. The church is progressing rapidly under his wise pastorate.

ON A SPECIAL TRAIN.

John Bass, Jr., Will be Brought Home From Bear Lake Tonight—Illness serious.

A message from Hon. J. H. Bass, who, with his wife, was summoned to Bear lake by the illness of their son, J. H. Bass, jr., states that they will come home tonight on a special train. While the illness of young Mr. Bass is not considered critical, it is quite serious. He is being brought home so that he may receive the best of care and treatment.

PRINCE HENRI BETTER.

His Wounds Will Not Prove Very Serious.

Paris, Aug. 17.—Prince Henri, of Orleans, who was wounded Sunday in a duel with swords fought with the Count of Turin, near this city, has passed an excellent night and all danger of a serious outcome from his wound appears to be over.

The Sentinel reporter made a vain effort to break into 'Squire Bullerman's office today. Floating over the telephone could be heard the gleeful laugh of a happy man, which was all explained this afternoon when it was learned that twin boys had arrived at the 'squire's this morning to make their home permanently with he and Mrs. Bullerman. Cigars are as plentiful about the 'squire's office at present as potatoes in one of Pingree's patches.

Mrs. Delgraffe, of Hartford City, arrived this morning and was conveyed to the St. Joseph hospital, where she will undergo an operation at the hands of Dr. Rosenthal.

WILL IS GENUINE.

So Decides the Jury in a Famous Will Contest.

End of a Stubbornly Contested Case—Relatives Claimed the Will Was Forged.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 17.—At midnight the jury in the Davis will contest returned a verdict finding that the disputed testamentary document was genuine. If the will is now admitted to probate by Judge Coffey, an estate valued at $1,000,000 will be divided between Mrs. Belle Curtis and her sister, Lizzie Muir. Mrs. Curtis is the wife of ex-Assemblyman John Curtis. The case was stubbornly fought by eastern relatives of the Davises, who claimed that the will offered for probate was a forgery. Jacob Z. Davis arrived here in early days, formed a copartnership with Alex. Boyd, and by judicious investments of his money soon became a millionaire. When he died in the Continental hotel, Philadelphia, last October, he was in the act of dictating a will disposing of his property. It was then believed that he had died intestate. A search of his personal effects in this city resulted in the finding of two wills, leaving all his property to his wife, but as she had died several years before him, the wills were not of any value. Some four or five weeks after his death a paper purporting to be his will was filed for probate in Judge Coffey's court. The will was brief and disposed of the vast estate in a few words. Mrs. Belle Curtis and Miss Lizzie Muir were named as the legatees. A contest was at once begun by relatives of Davis who live in the east. They claimed that the paper for probate was a forgery and they asked in their petition that it be denied probate. The will was found in an urn containing the ashes of Mrs. Davis. The contestants claimed that the paper had been slipped into the urn by the forgers and that it had been drawn several weeks after the death of Davis. The urn containing the ashes was brought into court and made an exhibit in the case. When the verdict was announced, Attorney Heggerty at once moved that the will be not admitted to probate, notwithstanding the finding of the jury that the paper was genuine. He claimed that there was no evidence to prove that it had been legally executed.

Judge Coffey said that he would listen to the argument today and pass on the question of admitting the will to probate. If he decides to admit and accept the disputed paper the estate will be divided between Mrs. Curtis and Miss Muir, as they are the only ones named in the paper, that the jury declared is genuine.

ALL WANT OFFICE.

Civil Service Commission Overwhelmed With Papers.

Applicants Know of Anticipated Changes in the Civil Service by the Administration.

Washington, Aug. 17.—The civil service commission is overwhelmed with papers of examinations for government offices and the corps of examiners is working over time to dispose of the constant accumulation. So far during this administration more people have been examined by the commission throughout the country, than in any previous year, largely the result of anticipated changes in the rules because of the change of administration. Over 14,700 papers are now on file pending action covering all kinds of examinations. Probably 4,000 of these are for positions in post offices. About 3,500 were filed by candidates for the customs service and 1,500 for the internal revenue service while 5,000 of the papers belong to the last spring examinations conducted by the commissioners. In addition to these, examinations have just been held in fifty-three of the largest post offices in the country, which are expected to increase the number of cases by not less than 5,000. Chief Examiner Severin says all this immense increase has been developed without material increase in the clerical force of the commission, except for temporary details. Since March there has been almost treble the amount of business as compared with similar periods in the past.

LIVES IN DANGER.

Attempt to Wreck an Excursion Train Fortunately Frustrated.

Walkerton, Ind., Aug. 17.—A bold attempt was made at this place Sunday night to wreck an excursion train on the Lake Erie and Western which was returning from Chicago heavily loaded with passengers.

A pile of ties and a large piece of bridge timber were found about 12 o'clock across the track several rods south of the depot. The obstruction would have been sufficient to throw the train from the track.

The obstruction was fortunately discovered a few minutes before the train arrived. A suspicious looking man was seen to run from the place, but there is no other clew.

Dayton Wants Horseless Carriages.

Dayton, Ohio, Aug. 17.—The most prominent manufacturers and capitalists of this city are considering a proposition to start in this city a manufactory of horseless carriages under Chicago patents, electricity to be the motive power. A committee is going to investigate. The company will be largely capitalized.

OUR SCHOOLS.

A Total Enrollment of More Than 16,000,000.

An Increase in Both Schools and Scholars—Thousands of Colored Students.

Washington, Aug. 17.—The report of the United States commissioner of education, Dr. Wm. T. Harris, for the year ending July 1, 1896, has just been completed. It brings the educational progress of the country up to that date and embraces the latest statistics the bureau had gathered. The report shows a total enrollment in that year in the schools and colleges, both public and private, of 15,997,197 pupils. This was an increase of 398,575. The number in public institutions was 14,465,371, and in private institutions, 1,531,526. In addition to all of these were 418,600 pupils in the various special schools and institutions, including business colleges, music conservatories, Indian and reform schools, making the grand total enrollment for the whole country 16,415,197.

The report says the 178 schools for secondary and higher education of the colored race had slightly over 40,000 students enrolled, an increase of over 3,000 for the year. The schools increased by sixteen in number, mostly high schools. There were 25,092 pupils in the elementary grades, 13,543 in the secondary grades and 1,455 in the collegiate departments.

There were 4,672 colored students studying for teachers. Industrial training is a prominent feature in nearly all of these schools.

ECKELS ACCEPTS.

Will be President of the Colonial Trust Company.

Will Receive a Salary of $15,000 Per Annum—Dawes Will Succeed Eckels as Comptroller.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Comptroller James H. Eckels will soon take up the duties of the presidency of the recently formed Colonial Trust company, of which Roswell P. Flower is the acting president. Mr. Eckels has had an offer in conjunction of a presidency of a Chicago bank under consideration for some time. He has finally accepted the New York offer and will relieve Mr. Flower in the fall, immediately after he has finished his annual report as comptroller of the treasury. Mr. Eckles' salary in his new position will be $15,000 per year. Charles G. Dawes, of Evanston, Ill., a member of the republican executive committee and a personal friend of President McKinley, will succeed Mr. Eckles as comptroller of the currency.

THE REPORT DENIED.

New York, Aug. 17.—An official of the Colonial Trust company, of this city, authoritatively denies the report sent out from Washington that Comptroller of the Currency James H. Eckels, upon the expiration of his term as a federal officer, would replace R. P. Flower as president of the Colonial. It is said Mr. Eckels name has been mentioned in connection with the presidency of the Metropolitan Trust company of this city.

NINTH MEETING

Of Young People's Christian Union to be Held Tomorrow.

Leading Workers and Delegates Will be in Attendance to the Number of Ten Thousand.

Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 17.—The first session of the ninth annual convention of the Young People's Christian union of the United Presbyterian church will be held in Tomlinson hall, this city, tomorrow night. The convention will hold three sessions daily, morning, afternoon and night. Ten thousand visitors are expected to attend, 6,000 of whom are delegates coming from every part of the country. The convention will conclude its work on Monday, which will be a regular reception day. J. P. Tracy, of Chicago, chairman of the committee of thirteen which controls the entire membership of 40,000, is here. He says the convention will be the greatest in the union's history. The music will be a feature of the meetings and the choir of several hundred voices will be under the direction of Professor Hugh H. McGranahan, of Jamestown, Pa. The hall has been amply decorated in honor of the gathering and the union's colors, orange and blue, are already seen in public and private decorations.

Judge Swaim Dead.

Washington, Aug. 17.—David G. Swaim, U. S. A., retired, judge advocate general, died here today, aged sixty three years, of Bright's disease.

Richard Dexter, an employe of G. E. Bursley, has gone to Woodburn to remain until he is strong enough to resume his duties at the store. He has just recovered from typhoid fever.

BASE BALL.

Tomorrow, Springfield vs. Fort Wayne.

"CAP" HATFIELD

Did Not Meet Officers and Nobody Was Killed.

The Sheriff of Mingo County Says That They Have [illegible] the Big Desperado.

Wheeling, W. Va., Aug. 17.—On Saturday a story was sent out reciting that a battle had been fought between "Cap" Hatfield and his friends and officers in Mingo county, in which dynamite and Winchesters played prominent parts, three men being killed.

The Register yesterday asked Sheriff Newton J. Keadle, of Mingo county, for a true statement of the case. The following is his reply:

"Williamson, W. Va., Aug. 17.

"The Register, Wheeling, W. Va.

"There has been no fight with the Hatfields. We have been unable to meet 'Cap' as yet.

"(Signed) N. J. Keadle, Sheriff."

The Register adds: "There have been men killed in the southern part of this state in a quarrel among members of the Hatfield family and others in the past, but not one killing for fifty reported. Captain Hatfield before his escape from jail two weeks ago was confined for nothing more serious than involuntary manslaughter and had only five weeks of a three months sentence to serve. There was no other crime charged against him and if he is never captured it will not be a serious matter."

ANDREE'S MESSAGE.

The Explorer Sends Word Back by Carrier Pigeon.

It Was Addressed to the Aftonbladet of Stockholm—The Pigeon Also Carried a Letter.

Christiania, Aug. 17.—Information received here confirms the story, published in a dispatch from Hammerfest, Norway, saying that one of the searchers for Herr Andree met the sealing vessel Alken about July 22, and was informed by her captain that one of the crew had shot a carrier pigeon, between North cape and Seven islands, on the north coast of Lapland, bearing a message from the explorer addressed to the Aftonbladet, of Stockholm, which read as follows:

"Eighty-two degrees passed. Good journey northward.

"Andree."

The date of the message was illegible. The pigeon also carried a letter addressed to the Aftonbladet, but the captain of the Alken declined to surrender either the despatch or the pigeon and continued his voyage northward. The captain is familiar with Andree's plan and is greatly interested in them.

The news arrived here very indirectly. The captain of the Alken communicated the information to the commander of the ship Injeborg of Tromsoe, the latter transmitted the news to the commander of the Very Express, upon which the Lerner polar expedition was coming home, and the Express finally passed the news along to the steamer Lofoten, which brought it here.

GAS MEN AHEAD.

Secure a Temporary Injunction Against Indianapolis.

The Same Old Price for the Lighting Material Will be Collected for Awhile.

Goshen, Ind., Aug. 17.—United States Judge Baker has granted a temporary restraining order in the injunction proceedings instituted by the Indianapolis Gas company against the mayor and city council of Indianapolis, to prevent enforcement of the new ordinance calling for a reduction of gas rates from $1.25 to seventy-five cents per 1,000 cubic feet, until such time as a decision can be reached in finality. Meanwhile the company is required to give bond for such amount as will cover the illegal price paid for gas in case the ordinance is sustained.

VIOLATE THE LAW.

British Steamers Are Landing Freight and Passengers at Skaguay.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Word has reached the government that British steamers are landing freight and passengers at Skaguay, Alaska, instead of at Dyea, in direct violation of the law. Dyea is the sub-port of entry, on the Lynn canal and Skaguay is six miles off. The matter will be investigated by the government. The creation of the sub-port at Dyea several weeks ago was done at the request of the Canadian government, to save passengers the annoyance of disembarking at Juneau and awaiting another steamer for Dyea.

The request came from Canada about a month ago and the action of the administration in establishing the sub port permitted the Canadian vessels to enter at Dyea and land passengers and baggage there.

BANKERS MEET.

Twenty-third Annual Convention of the Association.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 17.—Every seat in the Detroit opera house was occupied this morning when at a little after 10 o'clock President Robert J. Lowrey called to order the twenty third annual convention of the American Bankers' association. The presence of many ladies testified to the great interest taken by Detroit in the proceedings of the convention, and the elaborate decorations of the opera house, in the foyer and parquette and on the stage, gave further evidence of Detroit's hospitality. Among the speakers were Governor Pingree, Mayor Maybury and President Lowrey.

MASKED MEN

Robbed a Santa Fe Train Early This Morning.

Dynamite Failed to Open the Wells-Fargo Safe but Some Valuables Were Secured.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 17.—Passenger train No. 405, south bound, on the Santa Fe, in charge of Conductor Beers and Engineer Kain, was held up at 12:15 this morning between here and Edmond by half a dozen masked highwaymen.

A charge of dynamite placed beneath the Wells Fargo safe failed to open it. However, it is said, the robbers secured between $300 and $600 from valuable packages in the local safe and escaped.

The passengers were not molested. The train was the regular passenger for Fort Worth, Tex., and left Kansas City at 9:55 yesterday morning. Local agent C. B. Teas, of the Wells-Fargo company, says that the time lock safe could not have been opened till it reached quite a distance beyond the scene of the robbery and ridicules the story that the robbers secured anything of value from the express car. There was another small safe aboard, but this, Agent Teas declares, contained no money and nothing of much value.

LOCAL LINES.

M. S. Robison left last evening for New York and Atlantic City.

Mrs. J. T. McKillfarick is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. A. Conover.

The Modern Woodmen will meet tonight to celebrate over their new banner.

The Misses Rose Busching and Emma Witte are visiting friends in Toledo.

Marion B. Stults, a Huntington business man, was in the city this morning.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Meyers, of Archer avenue—a daughter.

Mrs. Elnora Hobbs, of 5 Smith street, has been slightly ill for a few days past.

Mrs. C. M. Tindall, of West Main street, who has been seriously ill, is convalescing.

James Clifford and wife, of 128 Horace street, are guests of Ridgeville relatives.

D. C. Stout moved into his handsome new residence, at 159 Lake avenue, today.

Miss Florence Bricker, of 25 Oliver street, is the guest of Grand Rapids friends.

Peter's Colts were defeated last Monday by the Nebraska nine. The score was 13 to 12.

The ladies of Mad Anthony Hive No. 27 will give a picnic at Robison park Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Smith and son, of Ligonier, are visitors at No. 3 Smith street, at the home of Mrs. Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hoffman left this morning for Mackinac Island. They took the Wabash route.

Mrs. C. W. Frees, of 4?? Calhoun street, is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Tindall of Bettsville, Ohio.

Andrew J. Ford, formerly an engineer, has opened a collection agency in 'Squire France's office.

Some of the farmers who attended market this morning, report a light frost east and south of the city last night.

Mrs. H. G. Robertson, of Grand Rapids, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Siemon, of East Wayne street.

Misses Sophia Rathart and Lena Kirchner have returned from Decatur, Ind., where they visited friends several days.

Mrs. R. W. Hart will leave this evening for Ashtabula county, Ohio, to visit at her old home. She will be gone several weeks.

The young people of the high school will enjoy a lawn fete at the home of Don Hayden, 68 Thompson avenue, Thursday evening.

Ed E. Blitz has arrived from Cleveland and will locate here. He will be identified with his brother, Max J. Blitz, in the insurance and ticket brokerage business.

Henry Heine, an engineer at the Berghoff brewery, is confined to the bed with an acute attack of congestion of the brain. His condition has been critical, but he is slightly improved.

Jose, the fourteen month old son of Valentine Gephart, of Wayne township, died of flesh decay this morning. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon from the St. Mary's Catholic church.

Henry Bosdell, of the People's store, left today for the east to purchase new fall and winter dry goods. He was accompanied by his daughter Fannie, who will visit with friends at Fisher's Island, Conn., for two weeks.

J. H. Stafford has returned from a very pleasant vacation on Lake Erie and the Detroit river. He visited Toledo, Ohio, Monroe and Detroit, Mich., Windsor, Ont., Palm Leaf Isle and the new Oil-coal fields, "Klondyke" by name.

IT WAS A JOKE.

But Not the Kind That the Police Will Tolerate.

A Belger's Bicycle Returned After [illegible].

A few days ago J. Belger, of the south side, reported to the police that his bicycle had been stolen. In as much as several wheels had been taken by thieves lately, a special effort was made to trace the missing property. This morning Mr. Belger reported that the wheel had been returned to his premises and said that it had probably been ridden away by a friend as a joke. It is a kind of fun that the police will not tolerate, as it puts them to a great deal of trouble for nothing. The first fellow caught trying to work this little joke will be summarily dealt with by the mayor.

NOTES.

Officers Potsen and Thomas each put up a stray horse last night. The animals are now at the Wieck livery stable.

Mischievous boys last night fired a pistol in front of Dick Meyer's residence and the bullet went through a pane of glass. Fortunately no body was in the room. The lads fled.

John Brown was slated for drunkenness this morning. He was sent over for eleven days.

BUSINESS CHANGES.

G. W. Stilson Retires From the Seavey Hardware House.

Business Now Owned Exclusively by Mrs. A. R. Seavey—Graff Pharmacy Changes Hands.

G. W. Stilson, who has had six years connection with the Seavey Hardware company, today sold his interest to Mrs. A. R. Seavey. By this transaction Mrs. Seavey becomes the sole owner of the business. She will conduct it as heretofore, retaining Mr. Stilson in the capacity of manager of the sales department.

DRUG STORE IN NEW HANDS.

The pharmacy formerly conducted by A. J. Keller, at the corner of Calhoun street and Washington boulevard, but which was recently purchased by J. E. Graff, has again changed hands, the latter gentleman selling the business to George W. McVicker, of Kankakee, Ill. The purchaser assumes control at once. Mr. McVicker was formerly pharmacist at the Illinois insane asylum at Kankakee, a position of great responsibility. Mr. Graff will go to Seattle, Wash., to reside. During his short stay in Fort Wayne he made many friends, and the same good feeling will no doubt be shared by his successor.

SAVAGE CANINE.

Master Harry Evers Fiercely Attacked by a Dog.

Flesh on the Boy's Leg and Arm Mangled by the Brute—Child on High Street Bitten.

This morning Superintendent Gorsline was asked to send an officer to kill a vicious dog which is harbored by Frank Lerch. The complainant was Henry Evers, of 192 John street, who says that his young son was attacked by the brute and was badly bitten on the arm and leg. The lad was rolling a hoop along the sidewalk, when the canine jumped the fence and bit him. The superintendent instructed an officer to investigate the matter and if the facts were as set forth, to dispatch the dog. Dr. Rosenthal attended the injured boy and cauterized the wounds.

ANOTHER CASE.

This forenoon Lieutenant Lapp was notified that a dog attacked a little girl on High street. The child was not badly injured. It is not known who owns the dog.

THE CITY BAND.

Popular Organization Has an Annual Election.

Members Regret to Learn That Professor J. L. Vernieres Cannot Take the Band Management.

Last night at the hall of the organization, 12 West Main street, the Fort Wayne City band held an annual election of officers, as follows:

President—F. Chas. Meyer.
Vice President—John Dennison.
Secretary—Harry C. Stophlet.
Treasurer—Fred Gockel.
Leader—Philip Keim.
Conductor—F. J. Reineke.
Finance Committee—V. E. Ruswill, S. H. Burdett, B. Rekers.

It was announced that Prof. J. L. Vernieres, of Laporte, who was called upon to assume the management of the band, finds it impossible at this time to accept, but may come at some future time if his services are then desired. The City band is one of the oldest musical organizations in the state.

Rev. G. E. Deuel, missionary from Japan, who recently returned to America with his family, will preach Friday evening in the Bethel church of the Evangelical association, corner DeWald and Clinton streets. He comes in the interest of the missionary cause of the church. He is an interesting and able speaker, and will address the congregation in both the English and German language. He carries with him Japanese relics and idols to show to the people who wish to see them.

RUN DOWN BY A CAR.

Miss Eliza Alsbaugh Has a Miraculous Escape From Death.

Dragged on the Tracks by the Car Fender and is Extricated From Her Position Alive—Other Accidents.

Shortly after 8 o'clock this morning Miss Eliza Alsbaugh, who is employed at the restaurant of Mrs. Christine Frederick, 266 Calhoun street, was run down by a street car while crossing the street in front of the Fruit House. The platform beam of the car felled her to the ground and as the car was passing over her, the pilot, which is a wooden arrangement situated immediately in front of the wheels, caught her body and rolled it along the cobble stone track way for a distance of six or eight feet before the motorman could stop the car.

As Motorman J. W. Bell, of Hanna street car, No. 59, was approaching the corner of Wayne street, north bound, he clanged the usual warning given at all street crossings. His car was going at a slow rate of speed. When within a few feet of the crossing he saw a woman dart toward the track in an effort to catch a pet poodle which she evidently feared would get beneath the wheels. In her confusion she ran upon the tracks, the front beam struck her and she was hurled underneath the moving car. Bell applied the brakes with all the strength he could summon, stopping the car only a few feet from the spot where the woman was struck. Horrified spectators expected to find the victim dead and her body ground to pieces, and great was their astonishment when she was extricated from her position alive and apparently not fatally hurt. The injured lady was carried into Gross & Pellens' pharmacy, where Dr. Leedy made a hasty examination, finding no bones broken and only a few injuries, the most severe of which were a scalp wound and a contusion of one shoulder. The city ambulance conveyed Miss Alsbaugh to her room, corner of Wells and Fourth street, where Dr. Leedy dressed the wounds and left the patient feeling quite well, considering the thrilling experience she had passed through.

Many witnesses testify that Motorman Bell and Conductor V. W. Jackson, who were in charge of the car, were in no way careless in the matter and that they did their utmost to prevent the accident.

OTHER ACCIDENTS.

James Gallagher, an employe on the court house, suffered a severe strain while lifting. He was attended by Dr. Maurice Rosenthal.

Benjamin Hardacre, manager of the Merchants' Premium company, was injured last night while riding his bicycle on Barr street, between Madison and Lewis streets. He was wheeling along the right side of the street when another cyclist came along the same side and a collision was the result. Mr. Hardacre's nose was broken by the fall.

Dan Leary, janitor of the Q. & O. club, while riding a bicycle on Pearl street this morning, had a collision and was pitched violently from the machine. He was badly bruised, but no bones were broken.

THE COURTS.

Nothing Doing in and About the Court House Today.

Appraisers of the Maysville Road May Reach an Agreement This Afternoon Some.

The appraisers of the Maysville gravel road are in session this afternoon and they hope to reach an agreement some time today. One of the appraisers says they are almost certain to agree on a price and there is hardly a doubt that the road will soon be the property of the county.

County Commissioner Ferguson was in Eel River township this morning attending to some bridge business.

Marriage licenses have been granted to Joseph Laier and Frances Bender and Ludwig Spaak and Louise Kroha. Miss Kroha is the lady who only a few days ago was granted a divorce from John Fredrickson.

Henry N. Neireiter has filed his bond as administrator of the estate of Casper Neireiter, deceased.

George W. McKee has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late Frank Manner.

H. W. Kohrman has qualified as a notary public.

Ollie Silvers is being tried by Justice Hoeer this afternoon on a charge of trespass preferred by Prynter Benton.

The damage case of Frederick Schoepf vs. Daniel Wheelock has been dismissed.

The will of the late John D. Miller was today filed for probate. All the property is left to the children.

Professor William Miles and his son, Gwylm Miles, were in the city last evening, having completed their work of conducting the singing at Winona. Gwylm Miles returned today to New York, accompanied by his father, who will make him a visit.

The Young Ladies Auxiliary of Deborah lodge holds its regular meeting Wednesday evening, August 18, to transact special business.

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TUESDAY, AUG. 17, 1897.

TONIGHT.

Socials—Young People of Plymouth church, at Miss Flossie Wilson's, 142 Montgomery street.

Hibernian Rifles—Uniform drill, St. Julian Council, C. B. L.—Regular meeting.

Lodges—Fort Wayne No. 116, K. of P.; Order of Elks; Canton Fort Wayne No. 17, Patriarchs Militant—Modern Woodmen; Fort Wayne Lodge of Perfection; Degree of Honor No. 5; Degree of Honor No. 22.

A Chicago paper declares that there are no microbes in the Chicago river. This may be true. No doubt reopening more in world think of living in that polluted stream.

The slayer of Camoras says that President Faure is "next." With true Parisian politeness, however, M. Faure probably will be willing to surrender his turn to any other ruler who may be in a hurry.

When the students of Yale are away from New Haven a number of the policemen of the city are given a vacation without pay. The subject of preserving order in college towns is a good one for a prize essay.

American corn is wanted abroad as well as wheat. The shipments of corn last month exceeded those of July, 1896, by 12,000,000 bushels. If Europe only knew how to make corn bread and corn cakes the demand for our maize would go up with a bound.

The heavy demand from Europe for American wheat has been the most prominent factor in the grain market. It is estimated that the purchases for export within the last six days amounted to about 1,000,000 bushels a day. The demand comes principally from the continent.

Given the choice of whom Speaker Reed recently wrote some reminiscences, and who was one of Michigan's greatest representatives in congress before being its senator in Washington. He is almost unknown, although ten or fifteen years ago his name was a household word all over the country.

A steady falling off of immigration is shown by the record of arrivals at the immigration office. The number of arrivals from all countries, according to treasury statistics, during the last fiscal year, was 230,832, a decrease compared with the previous year of 122,015. The highest immigration of any previous year was in 1882 when the number from all countries was 279,948.

The report often circulated that Pope Pius IX sent his blessing and congratulations to Jefferson Davis during the civil war seems to be without foundation. A letter has been discovered in the Confederate archives of the treasury department at Washington in which the pope treats of the subject, but he expresses the hope only that the war shall end and does not seem to favor either side.

It is to the credit of the striking coal miners that, in spite of the many incentives to disorder, they have steadily and persistently declined to violate the law. Although they felt that the injunction hurled against them by a federal judge was unjust, they have obeyed it in spite of advice to the contrary on the part of some of their hot headed leaders. They have every where shown a disposition to keep within the bounds of peaceable agitation, and they continue to command respect even among those who look on the movement as ill timed and misdirected.

The South Bend Times, in speaking of Mr. H. C. Bergheff's candidacy for state treasurer, says: "If Mr. Bergheff will refrain from chartering a special train and sending a brass band with a 500 delegation to the state capital, he will receive some votes that he didn't get when he competed with Albert Gall for the nomination some years ago. That sort of display was very distasteful to a good many northern Indiana delegates. It looked too much like an effort to carry things by storm. Mr. Bergheff has learned a good deal since that time, and is now ripe for a state office. He is a capable man and as clever as the day is long."

In three days of large operations nobody is surprised to hear of the formation of a mail trust with a capital of $25,000,000, or a cheese trust capitalized at $10,000,000. There is somewhat more interest manifested when it is reported that the charter of the latter is so liberal, empowering it to manufacture anything from corn, that there is a fear it may be turned into a whisky trust. But whether in this business of combining enterprises in the form of trusts, and thus making monopolies of them, trusts—Will it go on until the independent middle class on which the stability of the country depends is all wiped out, and the population consists only of a few employers and a great army of employed, with its inevitable and dreadful following of unemployed?

It turns from what we can learn throughout the country, good times are surely coming. Our exchanges daily contain accounts of reviving business and the reopening of manufacturing establishments. Wholesale dealers report increased orders and purchases from all sections of the country and reducers are for an immense retail trade the coming fall, and best of all the farmers at last will have plenty of money to buy the products of the merchant.

Justice Field's Long Service.

If Stephen J. Field, associate justice of the United States supreme court, had retired Monday, he would have left behind a record of service longer by one day than that of any other man who ever sat on the supreme bench. John Marshall has held the record hitherto, with his thirty-four years of continuous service, but Field, who was appointed by Lincoln in 1863, will hold it from now on. It will be many a day before another justice comes forward to rival this record. Justice Harlan did not take his place on the bench till 1877, and he ranks next to Field in point of service. Harlan was born in 1833, and he may have many years of activity before him, but it is hardly likely that he will be still in the harness seventeen years hence. Field is a wonderful old man. He is feeble now and tottering, walks painfully even for short distances with his two canes and betrays signs of extreme age in his consideration of legal questions. For months he has done little active work so far as the machinery of the court was concerned, and the tasks that naturally would fall to him have been divided among the other justices.

In his younger days Field was remarkable for a voice of marvelous beauty and power. It used to be counted one of the attractions of the capital to hear him read a decision, and when he was down for an opinion the supreme court room was crowded to its doors. His elocution was perfect, his voice captivating, his presence imposing and magnetic. He invested the driest legal disquisition with the interest of an oration. Now it is painful to listen to his efforts on the bench. His voice is feeble and faltering and scarcely can be heard, even in the narrow confines of the supreme court.

VALUABLE ANIMALS

The Only Complete Menagerie in the World.

The collection of rare wild beasts and curious animals with the Barnum & Bailey Greatest Show on Earth is guaranteed by the management to be not only larger and better than any zoological garden in Europe, but to really many times more extensive than any in America. It is positively asserted also that there are animals in this year's exhibit that were never seen in captivity before, the possession of which is coveted by all the zoological gardens of Europe. These are rare creatures from almost every country on the face of the globe. There are little gnoles, harnessed antelopes, Niger antelopes, elands, water bok, addax, wart hog, jamlah, Malay tapirs, bristle pigs, giraffes, Mon-nowi mandrill, cassowary, and gorilla, all of which are stated as not to be on exhibition anywhere else in the world. Lovers of animals will find much to marvel at, for there are actually three herds of performing elephants, 24 in all, or more than half all there are in the American continent. All the animals in the menagerie are properly classified and exhibited in elegant cages, which not only permit an excellent view of the inmates but which bear signs telling the species of the animal and the country they came from. The Barnum & Bailey menagerie have long been known as the best in the world, but this year they are claimed to be not only that, but positively the largest, and absolutely the only one that is complete. Of the performances in three rings, three stages, and hippodrome track, it is asserted with equal positiveness that they are far and beyond anything kith or kin, and comprise everything startling and sensational. Twenty times are seen in one ring at one time, performing clever and amazing tricks. The human arrow flies through the air after being hurled from a gigantic crossbow, and hundreds of other acts of equally as novel character are seen on the ground, in the air, and on the backs of speeding horses, so that the claim which is made to super excellence in everything is more than well founded, and if but one half is exhibited that is advertised the show this year is truly colossal. The three Barnum & Bailey tents have done—advertise a feature they did not possess. It stands to reason then the show is what it has always shown itself to be, the greatest on earth. The parade will take place on the morning of exhibition, which is Monday, August 23.

Mrs. J. J. Sullivan is visiting relatives at Kendallville.

G. A. R. SPEAKERS.

List of the Orators Who Will be at Camp Jewett.

President McKinley, General R. A. Alger and Governor Bradley and Funston Speak on the Program.

Boston, N. Y., Aug. 17.—General Fairchild, chairman of the committee having charge of the speakers to be made at the camp fire and reunion at the G. A. R. encampment, has received letters of acceptance from the following prominent men who had been asked to speak:

President McKinley, Governor Frank S. Black, of New York; Russell A. Alger, secretary of war; Governor Bradley, of Kentucky; Governor H. S. Pingree, of Michigan; General Daniel Butterfield, of Cold Springs, N. Y.; Major General O. O. Howard, U. S. A., (retired) Burlington, Vt.; General T. S. Ellis, department commander of the G. A. R., department of Michigan; H. Washington Aldridge, state superintendent of public works; James M. E. O'Grady, speaker of the assembly; Warren Keifer, ex-speaker of the house, representatives, Ohio; William E. Werner, justice of the supreme court Rochester; Patrick J. Gleason, mayor of Long Island city; Gen. Horatio C. King, Brooklyn; Mayor Julius H. Seahl, New York; Assistant B. S. Preller, state treasurer, Ellenville; Col. William Lamb, Norfolk, Va.; Rev. R. H. Rowling, Norfolk, Va., and Hon. F. Buckner, member of congress, Saginaw, Mich.

QUIET TODAY.

The Excitement on "Change Subsides.

Fluctuating Prices Gather Steam at Noonday—Net Gains Between Points High and Five.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—A much easier tone prevailed at the opening of the wheat market today, September starting at 84½c, a decline of 1c about one cent from yesterday's closing, and almost immediately selling at 84c. The paramount reason for the decline was the weakness of the Liverpool cables, which showed but a half and a ½c advance on the opening in large advances showed nearly all or even this meagre advance lost. The weather map was also more favorable. New York, however, acted strong enough to cause some reaction here, but timber slowly rallying to 84⅞c, with frequent fluctuations. Trading was rather on a small scale, although considerable nervousness was displayed.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Wheat—Aug., 84½c; Sept., 84⅞c; Dec., 87⅞c; old, 87½c; May, 93c.

Corn, Aug., 27½c; Sept., 28⅝c; Dec., 29½c; May, 32½c.

Oats, Aug., 17½c; Sept., 17½c; Dec., 18½c; May, 21c.

Pork, Aug., and Oct., $8.17; Sept., $8.17½; Dec., $8.22.

Lard, Aug., and Sept., $4.47; Oct., $4.50; $4.37; Dec., $4.37.

Ribs, Aug., and Sept., $4.22½; Oct., 4.27.

The Hibernian Rifles will drill tonight. The Rifles are getting in trim for the celebration at Robinson park, to be given by the combined A. O. H. societies of this city, on the 27th of this month, when a game drill between the Hibernian Rifles, of Indianapolis, and the company of this city, will take place.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Compton, of Williamsport, Pa., who have been visiting Joseph Kinsseberger for some days, will leave tomorrow for Utah, where they will visit relatives two or three weeks before returning home.

REAL ESTATE SALES.

The Deeds Which Have Been Filed For Record.

The Dreibelbiss Abstract of Title company, No. 23 Court street, furnishes the following accurate list of transfers, filed for record since our last issue:

Nathaniel P. and Margaret Harper to Christena Schultz, lots 15 and 16, in Sargent's addition to Williamsport, for $300.

William Harbsmeier to Frederick W. Hirsman, the northwest quarter of southwest quarter, section 30, township 31, range 12 east, containing 40 acres, for $2,200.

Lydia and John Miller to George Snyder, east half lot 12, Chute & Prince's addition, for $1,200.

Marietta and Martin E. Argo to Isaac Allgower, south half of southwest quarter, section 7, township 32, range 15 east, containing 80 acres, for $3,000.

John Gruebert to Ludwig Schlandroff, the west half of southwest quarter of northeast quarter, section 23, township 30, range 13 east, containing 20 acres, for $1.

Ludwig and Christina Schlandroff to William Schlandroff, southwest quarter of northeast quarter; northwest quarter of southeast quarter, all in section 31, also south half of southeast quarter of southwest quarter, section 28, all in town 30, range 13 east, containing 100 acres, for $4,000.

John G. Vieers to Mary Pfleiderer, lot 12, College addition, for $1,500.

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How He Will Be Rewarded a Hundred-fold for His Generosity.

Robert McLean, a man well known in Boston, has just established a reconciliation with his wife under circumstances that involve a startling story of the Klondike goldfields. McLean is now about forty-two years old. In his early days he was a miner, and many years of his life were spent in California mining towns. For the past 15 years he has made Boston his home. He married early and his wife were happy, and he always had a generous share of the money. Last fall a Yukon miner arrived from Alaska. He had claims, he said, in the Northwest Territory worth $10,000, but he had to leave his valuable stockade and needed money with which to buy an outfit and food. He interviewed a dozen people and finally found one who knew McLean. Alaska was never will known this, as it is now. Everybody laughed at him. He made every effort to get money, but failure accompanied him until he met McLean. He told his story to McLean and he gave him $600. He agreed to give it to the Yukoner with the understanding that they share alike the product of the claim.

Mr. McLean was so angry when he heard of his business venture that he consulted a lawyer. The latter said nothing could be done. Mrs. McLean was in Europe at the time, but she consulted a lawyer. The latter said nothing could be done. Mrs. McLean then wrote to her husband, begging him back the $600 or causing a separation. He stuck by his Yukon friend, and he and his wife lived apart. Now it will be recalled that the Yukoner had struck a lead. The Yukoner had returned to his claim with an outfit and provisions, worked hard all winter and taken out over $10,000. He wrote McLean that he had to down shortly with about $50,000. The claim, he writes, is worth $50,000. McLean told his wife, she acted his pardon, and they are now living together, walking every evening for the return of the Yukoner who borrowed their last $600 and caused a separation.—Exchange.

AN INFANT PRODIGY.

A Colored Child That Could Talk When Only a Week Old.

Nashville is rapidly gaining reputation as a producer of geniuses. The country has scarcely ceased to discuss Blind Tom, Blind Lucy and Blind Julia, the sleeping white another phenomenon, equally as curious, though differing vastly, is arising.

Scarcely any one believed that anything the air was possible, and fewer still will believe it possible, for a 3-month-old child to talk. However, such is the case, and any one can verify the truth of this of this statement with very little trouble.

The parents of the child are Richard and Frankie Cleveland, colored, living at 17 Court street, and the child has been talking since it was a week old. Hundreds have visited the little wonder and have left the house completely astonished at what they have seen and heard.

The child is a girl and differs only from other babies in that it can talk as plainly and be understood as distinctly as a two-year-old. In fact, of course, it is naturally weak. Let has some of the baby prattle about it. In addition to the child's talking perspicacity it seems to be possessed of superior intelligence as given to every expression and answering, coming as they do from one so young.

The Rev. G. W. Martin, a colored preacher who has a church in this city, and a majority of his flock called at the house to convince themselves of the truth of the rumors which have been circulated concerning the child. The little one seemed to enjoy the presence of the crowd for awhile, but, even tiring, remarked to its mother in a voice audible to all present, "I am tired." The callers took the hint and soon departed.—Exchange.

Parties Similar to Toronto.

A correspondent of The Christian Advocate says of Toronto: "The law disqualifies a saloon keeper for membership in the city council. The saloons are, curiously enough, there are just as many saloons as churches—300—are under right overnight and are closed every night at 11 o'clock and all day Sunday. There is no Sunday," a newspaper, and the press generally, is strongly on the side of law, order and decency. The streets are clean, a fact which is not without its bearings upon civic morals. There is an utter absence of drunkenness and of accident loading, and the police force is largely composed of temperance men, who have no sympathy with the demoralizing agency of the saloon."

Testing Fireproof Wood.

A navy department board has been making an investigation of the merits of the system of fireproofing wood used in warships. Some citizens has been pass 2 on the trend 2 wood, it being alleged that it is always damp and that paint will not adhere to it. The board has found that there is no truth in that the painting provided it has been properly done and that there is no valid objection to the use of fireproof woodwork on the interior of the ships, as to the allegation that the decks are kept damp by the fireproof material, the board determined to await the results of some practical tests now under way at Philadelphia and Boston.—Philadelphia Press.

Three Months Between Them.

Four months ago Mrs. Clarence Finch, the wife of the janitor of the Cleveland Press company, left that city for a visit with her parents and friends. A few weeks later she gave birth to a healthy baby girl. As soon as Mrs. Finch was able to travel she returned to her home in Cleveland and was apparently in the best of health. It was a Sunday morning she gave birth to a plump baby boy, there being just 14 weeks between the two events. Both children are in excellent health.—Cleveland Leader.

DANGER OF SOCIABILITY

Speaker Reed Compelled to Suppress His Social Nature.

There is little doubt that for a short moment in public life to relax his dignity and become sociable was a crime in the Washington mind. Speaker Reed has been growing constantly less sociable as he has grown in power and prestige in public affairs. He is naturally friendly, but if he yields to a disposition to be sociable some one or two takes notice of it. The other day there were three members of the house were standing in the lobby before the house met, and the speaker, coming along, stopped to join in some talk. He had hardly made a step of any going indication in the lobby and appeared to be in a most amiable and jovial mood. The conversation started from with a little laughing remark, and in a minute the speaker's face was beaming with good nature. Nearby like an old woman who is somewhat of an habitue of the capital, was standing at a distance with her knitting. As she quite troubled and his good nature became more apparent she edged back and close to him, a fawning smile displayed on her face, and the reflection of his mood. His back was half turned toward her, and he did not see her approach. Just as she had been with us a characteristic wave laugh the old woman made a final slide and touched his elbow.

"Good morning, Mr. Speaker," she said.

The speaker's laugh was cut in two across the middle. With a courteous bow and an expression of dignified kindliness on his face he greeted her extended hand and said, "Good morning, madam." With a deprecatory smile she edged closer to him.

"I have a small claim," she said, "which I am very anxious to get through. I hope you are going to appoint your committee soon, so that it can be reported. You know about it."

"Oh, yes; I know about it," replied the speaker, a look of weariness and pain spreading over his face. "There is no danger of my forgetting it."

But of the old woman were several other petitioners creeping up to embrace the speaker's good humor. With an expression of painful resignation he turn turned and walked away. He did not stop to join any group of the talking groups of statesmen, and the smile and not return back on his face for a long while.

"I think I won't let him be sociable," said one of the representatives. "If he smiled, some one would take advantage of it."

THE SIBERIAN RAILWAY.

Prince Pushing Its Extension So Rapidly That Half the Time It Now Takes.

The directors of the Great Siberian railway are already figuring on a time table for Lessar's Siberian Peking which will go into effect in July, 1898. The journey will occupy less than 15 days, as follows: Trains, four hours from London to Cologne; to Warsaw, distance 1,044 kilometers, in 19 hours, at a rate of 55 kilometers an hour; Warsaw to Berlin, 3,219 kilometers, to be accomplished in 44½ hours, 84 kilometers an hour. Russia has made much slower than the west European systems. From Berlin to Tchelabinsk, where the new Siberian line actually commences, 1,137 kilometers, 11 hours, at a rate of 102 miles an hour. From Tchelabinsk to Tchelabinsk, distance 9,288 kilometers, at a mean speed of 43 kilometers, will take hours. Thus, the entire journey of 14,191 kilometers will occupy 296 hours, or 12½ days, as against the present time of 18 days by the Suez canal and 14 days via the Canadian Pacific. If the 30 hour service speed on the Central Warsaw section could be maintained throughout, the journey would be accomplished in 7½ days. Making every allowance for difficulties in the way of high speed across the Siberian steppes, there is a large margin for improvement from Tchelabinsk to Vladivostok.

Who Should Be Indemnified by Denby?

A Norwegian newspaper reports an interview with Herr Lange, the minister, in which both are said to have made some curious remarks. M. Clarence is said to have declared that Alexandre Dumas left a play showing markedly the influence of Ibsen, at which he worked for ten years, aiming to reveal exile his own dramatic method with Ibsen's; that the work is a masterpiece, but the last scenes are unfortunately lacking, and that nevertheless he, Clarence, hoped to produce it at the Theatre Français if the Dumas heirs would permit it. He added, according to the Norwegian reporter, that he hoped to bring out scenes of the plays of Ibsen at the great French playhouse, whereupon the Norwegian dramatist made the prompt reply that it was scarcely pleasant for him to see his plays produced, because they were generally represented in a form different from that in which he had conceived them. Finally Mr. Clarence offered an invitation to Ibsen to visit Paris, assuring him that he would be received with great distinction.—New York Tribune.

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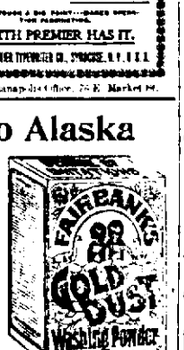

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CONDUCTOR DEAD.

John W. Phelps Stricken Down by Lumbago.

The Fire Engine Industry on the Decline—A Week at Rochester—An Engineer Badly Injured.

John W. Phelps, aged fifty-one years, died at the home of his sister, at 710 Rockhill street, of paralysis, this morning. A sudden overall daughter survives the deceased. Mr. Phelps was at one time a conductor on the Nickel Plate road, but for years he has not been able to perform the high and hard duties he now devoted upon him, and by of recovery already.

Mr. Phelps was a member of the Knights of Pythias, and was buried under the auspices of the Knights Templar, of which the deceased had long been a member.

IN OTHER SECTION

Passenger train No. 7, on the Wabash, went through an open switch at the little town of Rockford, Ind., at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The engine and four cars went off the rails, but remained upright and upon their tracks, and were soon replaced upon the tracks. Electric Brake, who was at the throttle, jumped when he saw there was going to be a wreck at and had an ugly bruise. None of the others on the train were injured. The accident occurred a little beyond passenger train No. 4, which did not reach this city until nearly midnight. Rockford, the scene of the accident, is six miles west of Lagrange.

AN ACCIDENT WHICH WILL DISABLE MANY MEN.

An accident which will disable George Shendell for several weeks happened to that gentleman at the Baker saw mill, on Superior street, at 5 o'clock last evening. The unfortunate man was in the act of throwing a belt off a pulley, when his clothing caught upon a bolt on the line shafting and in an instant he was whirling around at a fearful rate, being relieved only when his clothing was torn from his body. Frank Baker heard the man's cries for assistance and promptly responded, but failed to prevent him being injured. The patrol wagon was called and Mr. Shendell was taken to St. Joseph hospital, where Dr. McMurray attended him. The flesh on the chest, abdomen and legs was badly bruised and cut and there were painful bruises on the face and head, but no bones were broken. Dr. McMurray is of the opinion that the injuries to the internal viscera and that no permanent disability will result from the accident, though Mr. Shendell will be confined to the bed for some time. The unfortunate man is the head of a large family, which is under the care of his father, who is a member of the Knights of Honor at Fort Wayne street.

THE GOOD KNOWN TO OTHER CITIES.

The Fort Wayne Foundry and Machine company, which has works on Superior street, is doing a fair business in the way of building gas and gasoline engines. The engine made by this company is the invention of William H. Phelps, a prominent resident of this city, who seems to have overcome the difficulties experienced by many other inventors and to make motion up an engine which will run as smoothly when pulling a load as it does when running light. Gasoline engines are in demand, and the fact that the engine is driving nothing but its own machinery. A member in the day of a gasoline engine, is the one destroyed by Mr. Hedges and built by the company of the Reeves Pulley company, of Columbus, Ind. It has a capacity equal to the power of six horses, weighs only 400 pounds and was designed for propelling a motor cycle, carrying twenty or more people. It is now in service and giving good satisfaction. The company has just finished the work of putting a thirty five horse power vertical engine in the Wilts Wagon works and is now engaged upon several other contracts of a like nature. The men in this establishment have been working ten hours per day for several weeks and indications favor a continuance of this very desirable state of affairs.

INTERLOCKING SIGNAL PLANTS.

In the four years from 1888 to 1892, sixty five signal plants were put in at crossings, with 1067 levers, during the past four years (1893 to 1897), sixty three plants were put in, with 2018 levers. The increase of about 100 per cent in the average working capacity of the machines goes to show the increased appreciation of interlocked signals. The quality of the work and apparatus has been greatly improved.

SIGNAL MENTION.

Nickel Plate Brakeman George Harlow is sick and off duty.

M. H. Holbrook, Pittsburg machinist, is spending a week at Rome City.

Joseph Klingenberger, the watchman, is all at his home on East Creighton avenue.

Dennis Delaney of the Pittsburg, has gone to Chicago to off duty on account of sickness.

The Canadian Pacific is building an elevator at Owen sound that has a capacity of over 2,000,000 bushels of grain.

C. W. Brown, superintendent of an electric plant at Decatur, Ill., is in the city visiting pastors on running gossamer.

Careful estimates show that in the last thirty days, 6,000 empty cars have been sent into the west to move the crops.

Train Dispatcher Milo Switzler, of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, left today for the north upon a two weeks' vacation.

M. S. Wormser has been elected one of the directors of the Chicago Great Western road, vice H. A. Gardner, resigned.

George Ward, one of the Electric corporation's construction men, has gone to Joliet, Ill., to look after some business for the corporation.

Abraham C. Mark, the Pennsylvania conductor who recently became a Benedict, has resumed his run on the road, making the first trip out yesterday.

E. I. Porter has gone to Hamilton, Ohio, on business for the Electric corporation.

Paul Wood, of the tool room at the electric works, is fishing at Rome City.

Mr. Barlow, one of the Electric corporation's Pacific coast representatives, is in the city.

J. B. Clinger, absent from his usual place at the east car shops, having laid off to assist in moving.

A child of Engineer Patrick Mahoney is afflicted with diphtheria at the family residence, 150 Talley street.

Boilermaker John T. Leach, of the Pittsburg shops, has gone to Columbus, Ind., to attend a meeting of the Odd Fellows.

Captain R. H. Harrison, foreman of one of the departments of the Pittsburg shops, is taking a brief vacation and has gone to Rome City.

The shipments from the electric works today included a dynamo each to Winfield, Minn., and Clarksburg, W. Va., and a motor to Huron.

George Anderson, the Pittsburg local fireman, who resides in Fly mouth, has recovered from an ill ness which kept him from his work for a week.

A new elevator, with a capacity of 250,000 bushels, will be put in operation at Charleston, S. C., September 1, opening another southern export grain port.

Wreck Foreman George Elsey and his ten men have returned from Goshen, where they spent a week in lifting a grand Rapids engine from the Wabash river.

Nickel Plate Engineer J. Arehart has been granted a two weeks' vacation, which he will spend in visiting the several watering places in this section of the country.

J. H. Henry has returned from Lancaster, Pa., where he was engaged for some time in installing electrical machinery for the Fort Wayne Electric corporation.

Jacob Hilgeman, of the electric works, left last night for Philadelphia, where he will be engaged about a week in making some repairs to electrical machinery.

Charley Dean, the colored helper in the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, has gone to Buffalo, N. Y., he will attend the encampment of the Grand Army before he returns.

Last week was the banner one with the Pennsylvania road in excursion business. During the week twenty six special trains were run, largely to the southern resorts.

Frank Fox, assistant foreman of the Pittsburg round house, is at work again. He returned last Saturday from Kickapoo Island, where he enjoyed a two weeks outing.

Two more boilers left the Base works this morning, billed to the Fort Wayne Gas company at Bluffton. There are still four boilers to follow before the order is complete.

Andrew Smith, for many years a passenger conductor on the Indianapolis, Peru and Chicago road, but recently a lumber dealer, was buried at Huntington, Ind., Sunday.

The Illinois Central is to build a very handsome modern passenger station at Springfield, Ill., which will also be occupied by the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern as lessee.

The traveling representatives of S. F. Bowser & Co. are returning to their duties on the road after a month's vacation. The firm anticipates a big fall and winter trade.

Tim Hurley and Allen Hayes cut trucks for a row in sight over the Mississippi river at Davenport. Mr. Hurley is the president of the Davenport Electric company.

No more wheel trucks are being used under passenger coaches by the standard roads. It has been found that a four wheel truck is just as safe and at the same time much lighter and costs less.

The fever which for a short time threatened the life of Fred Fink, the well known Pittsburg machinist, is abating and there is every reason to believe that the young man will now recover.

Nathaniel G. Kocher, who spent a year at the Pennsylvania road for pass a coffee, is at work again after a pleasant vacation. When he arrived at the office this morning he found his desk adorned with flowers furnished by the other attaches of the office.

George M. Johnson, an employe of the Pittsburg coppersmith shop, had the palm of his right hand lacerated upon the sharp end of a bolt this morning. The wound will keep him from his work for several days.

Brakeman Beck Seitz, of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road crew, is enjoying a much needed rest and will return to his home in the city, 121 E. Pine street, after a visit with relatives and friends at Richmond.

J. Jay Brosnahan, who for some time has been engaged in doing a local freight business on the Nickel Plate, has been promoted to engineer and will call of the through freight, now having a run between this city and Bellevue. C. H. Minney has succeeded Mr. Brosnahan in the local freight service.

J. P. Morgan controls more railroad miles than any other man in the world. He either owns the stock or has the controlling interest in the New York Central system, the New York, New Haven and Hartford system, the Reading system, the Lehigh Valley system, the Erie system, the Southern system, the Northern Pacific system, the Big Four system and the Chesapeake and Ohio system.

Henry Monnewitch and Miss Ipline will be married at the home of the bride's parents next Thursday afternoon. The young lady is the daughter of John Ipline, the yard foreman of the down town yard of the Pittsburg. The prospective groom is a fireman in the east shops. Both are popular with their acquaintances. The couple will leave on train No. 9, immediately after the wedding ceremony, for Chicago, where they will remain about a week.

F. S. Schaffer, the Grand Rapids and Indiana fireman, has been promoted to some little town in south ern Michigan, where his aged father is thought to be lying upon his death bed. The dark man was for a number of years the Pennsylvania agent at Monroeville. At the same time he conducted services in one of the churches in that neighborhood, being a regularly ordained minister. Since leaving the railway service Rev. Schaffer has devoted his entire time to the pulpit and has resided in various towns in this state and Michigan.

Acting on the Constitution Law.

Mercer, Ind., Aug. 17.—Judge Kinney, of the Indiana circuit court, rendered an important decision on the garnishee question Saturday morning. He held that property held exclusively or partly by the sex law, which is a constitutional law, and the resident property holders are bound by the old law, which allows joint exemption. He distinguished the two holding that a property holder in a person who works in one state and whose family resides in another and that the resident property holder is one who works in the same state where his family resides. He held that the single persons are not exempt from garnishment.

Joseph Harding, of the J. F. Schell Loan and Investment company, is spending his vacation at Sandusky and Cleveland, visiting friends and relatives.

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W. M. Iseman, editor Tickfaw, Ky., writes: "Chief Mary's Bush Wine is the best medicine I ever used. Recommended for Consumption, Coughs and Colds." Experimented with many others, but never got the true remedy until we used Dr. King's New Discovery. No other remedy can take its place in our home and we always keep it on hand. Our children use it freely and it never fails to give immediate relief." Sold by Druggists.

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On Tuesday, Aug. 29, there will be a grand Soldiers' Reunion at Soldiers' Home at Angola, Ind. For the occasion the L. S. & M. S. R. R. will run a special train from Fort Wayne at 7:30 a.m., arriving at Angola at 9:45 a.m. Returning special will leave Angola at 5:45 p.m. Fare 75c for the round trip. Take your uniform along and spend an enjoyable holiday. For further information or tickets apply to L. S. & M. S. R. R. 1831

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The Rev. Stephen Merritt's spectacular work at the Christian Alliance camp meeting at Old Orchard, N. J., the other day, has had been noted in the Herald. He claimed the power from God to restore lost sight, and a decided sensation was caused in consequence, not many of them called on him at 241 West Twenty third street, New York city. All who came were given to understand that his cures were not a direct exercise of the power of God, but were made by the use of Hippocrates, the Holy Chart and restore sight to blind men.

A reporter from the Herald went to New York. I said to him, "There was such a lot to do, I did not know just what the nature of the work was. Later it was impossible to do. I was so sorry to miss it."

Mr. Merritt said: "I was sorry too, for I had a lot of people to see that evening. A few were disappointed, of course, but I hope they should realize that I had to do that, I felt very strongly that I had to do it. I felt that I was recently appointed a special agent of divine healing.

"Yes, I believe, I had no question the power was conferred upon me. Now I know why I was so sorry. The people here had not of my mission at Old Orchard, and they were anxious for further proof. I have a lot of letters from people who will prove beyond the power of the mission I have performed.

"Every news times I have felt that I was in daily communication with the Holy Ghost and that I was being prepared for this work. I felt that I was to make no charge, that God would do the work as well as the world. I did not seek my power, for it was given me, perhaps because of my great faith. I feel that I possess it I must not allow a soul to suffer from my delay. My duty is to exercise it.

"I have always worked among the poor, and, I can truthfully say that I never saw a case that I could not relieve, but I felt that God was to bless me in some way, and I felt that I was to go to Toledo. He said to me I would be.

"I have received from the mayor of those I have healed, but because of their desire to avoid notoriety I could not do so without their consent.

"I received over a young man in an insane asylum at San Bernardino, Cal., and they consider it incurable. That man is now free as a bird. Since I have been in Toledo I have heard of a case of blindness, and was so bad at times that the nuisance would shed constantly. By the use of your medicine I have stopped the bleeding, my head is greatly relieved, and I have no more difficulty with my breathing. Yours truly

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(Signed)

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The Weather.

Washington, Aug. 17.—For Indiana: Fair and continued cool tonight and Wednesday; variable winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Will Volmer is visiting at Bluffton.

Miss Marie O'Rourke is visiting at Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perman left today for Pine Lake.

Mrs. Charles Breckenridge is the guest of friends at Chicago.

Miss Mabel Lawson, of Home avenue, is visiting at Kendallville.

W. R. Barr, of Bluffton, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Blitz.

The H. S. club members will have a reunion at Robison park tomorrow.

Miss Blanche Laubach is the guest of Miss Edith Yarnelle, at Winona.

Gustave Lotner has returned from St. Paul and resumed his duties at the White bank.

Rev. Thomas Eisenring accompanied the priests to Notre Dame, for retreat, today.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Barrows and Miss Nora Hughes are spending the week at Rome City.

James Peters, of Chicago, is visiting his cousin, Albert Schuck, of the Globe Clothing house.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Crowe are entertaining their sister, Mrs. Van Nuis, of Osawatomie, Kas.

Five local contractors are figuring on the construction of the Lakeside sewer. The contract will be let on Thursday evening.

James A. Orr has returned from Decatur, where he has been looking up the interests of the Blickensderfer Typewriter company.

Among the guests at the New Aveline: Horace Randall, J. S. Zent, Indianapolis; E. Swigert, Cincinnati; M. March, Goshen; M. S. Stannard, Detroit.

Mrs. T. H. Coleman, of John street, was presented with a handsome sewing machine, the gift of her husband as a remembrance of her twenty-first birthday.

Among the guests at the Wayne: E. Davis, Toledo; C. H. Harrington, Troy, N. Y.; E. S. Wheeler, Chicago; William Stock, Owosso, Mich.; C. B. Nevin, Lancaster, Pa.

Lon Wikel, of Lagro, left home ten months ago and relatives are much worried at his prolonged absence. He was in Fort Wayne the last time anything was heard of him.

A. Kocher, driver for Lutton & Co., who underwent an operation for appendicitis several weeks ago, was discharged from the St. Joe hospital today cured. He will soon be able to resume his duties.

Mrs. Rose Brueing and Dora Witte, of this city, are the guests of their uncle, Daniel Krapp, of Toledo, Ohio. They will also visit Detroit and the Macinac islands via the great lakes, returning home in a month or so.

Logansport Pharos: "Abram Greensfelder, of Fort Wayne, is the guest of his brothers, Aaron and Eli Greensfelder.—George Zurbach, of Fort Wayne, and Miss Lizzie Saller, of Peru, visited friends in this city yesterday."

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hanna, of Auburn, will soon be residents of this city again, as Mr. Hanna is going to travel in the south in the interest of a firm with which he was formerly connected for several years. Mr. and Mrs. Hanna will move here the latter part of this month.

The Union Veteran Legion met last night to arrange for the annual encampment, to be held at Columbus, Ohio, next month. The delegates elected to represent the local camp are Henry M. Williams, James Chambers, Henry Zollinger, Captain Harry Lickman, Col. J. C. Kensill and Comrade James Sheridan were elected alternates.

Miss Mamie Haviland has returned from Winona.

Mrs. Will Manson, of Wabash, is visiting friends in Fort Wayne.

James Thieme returned from a two weeks' eastern trip yesterday.

Mrs. D. L. Harding and daughter, Grace, will leave tomorrow for Petoskey.

Miss Mary Elsinger, of East Lewis street, left this morning for Atlantic City.

Sig Lehman is the guest of his brother, Isidor Lehman. His home is at Chetopa, Kas.

Hon. O. P. Morgan and wife will go to Rome City tomorrow, to occupy their cottage.

Franklin Hovenstine went to Indianapolis today to attend to some private business affairs.

Edward L. Foestel, of the Dun Mercantile company's offices, is enjoying his vacation at Chicago.

Mrs. August Franke and the Misses Moellering have gone to the Larwill sanitarium for treatment.

Mrs. Carrie B. Whiteleather and son, Clyde, left yesterday for Niagara Falls and other eastern points.

Charles Schrader, of Lima, Ohio, has been the guest of his nephew, Dr. W. F. Schrader, a couple of days.

W. H. Comstock, representing the Owosso Casket company, Owosso, Mich., is in the city taking orders today.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Centlivre have gone to Chicago. From there Mrs. Centlivre goes north for a few weeks.

Miss Stella McClellan has resigned her position as stenographer in the office of Grindle & Wetherlage, the architects.

This evening the young people of the Congregational church will give a social at the home of Miss Flossie Weldon, 147 Montgomery street.

Miss Gutscher, daughter of Dr. Gutscher, of the Larwill sanitarium, has returned home after a visit with F. G. Muehlenbeck and family.

S. R. Taylor returned last night from a two weeks' vacation, spent at Winona. Mrs. Taylor returned today from Defiance, where she was visiting relatives.

James H. Loraas, who was a student in Dr. George C. Stemen's office, is now studying alone. He will take his final course at the Fort Wayne College of Medicine next term.

Sion S. Bass post held a special meeting last evening to make final arrangements for attending the G. A. R. encampment at Buffalo. They will leave over the Nickel Plate early next Monday morning.

Dr. Martin Schick, of this city, sailed today from Bremen, Germany, for home. The doctor has been studying and returns finely equipped for his profession. He may decide to locate in this city.

The McCann Candy Kitchen, opposite the New Aveline, has been closed and the proprietor will open a similar business at Grand Rapids. The room vacated by him has been leased by Gus Steger and a saloon business will be conducted there.

A. J. Keller, who formerly conducted the pharmacy at the corner of Calhoun street and Washington boulevard, is now the manager of drug store which was owned by the late Louis Weyer, at the corner of Twenty-second and State streets, Chicago.

Master Karl Schmidt, of No. 218 East Jefferson street, celebrated his ninth birthday yesterday by entertaining his little cousins and a few others. They enjoyed themselves very much until late in the evening and left wishing Karl many more such birthdays. It was a day they will not soon forget. Presents were numerous.

Street Superintendent Franke is today having broken stone hauled to Maumee avenue for the new macadam pavement, which will be extended from Fletcher avenue to Lillie street, where the street was newly graded this summer. Mr. Franke also has a force of men at work putting down new crossings and repairing old ones.

Warsaw Times: "The wife of Dr. Wal Barket, of Fort Wayne, who arrived in this place on Saturday last, went to Plymouth this morning on a visit to relatives.—Rev. Wilson Lewing, of Fort Wayne, passed through Warsaw Monday on his way home from South Bend, where he has been holding a protracted meeting.—Chas. E. Neff left for Fort Wayne, from whence he expects to go to Alabama on an extended trip."

The residence of Hiram Porter, at 4 Putnam street, was last Sunday the scene of a family gathering, in which all but one of the children were present. The sons were H. A., J. S., Hiram L. and C. W. Porter; and the daughters, Mrs. Tena Beckert, Mrs. Melissa Fuller, of Macon, Mo., and Miss Mary Porter, who lives at home. The only sad feature of the family assembly was the absence of another son, G. F. Porter, who was confined to bed by illness, not having recovered from the effects of typhoid fever.

For This Tuesday Afternoon.

Gem Melons Down Again.

Gem Melons down to 25c basket.
Michigan Whortleberries, 8c qt.
English Damson Plums, 5c quart.
Concord Grapes, 25c basket.
Large Michigan Peaches in fifth bushel baskets, 20c; small baskets, 10c.
California Tokay Grapes, [illegible]
[illegible] Bartlett Pears, [illegible]
[illegible] Green Prunes, [illegible]
California Peaches, [illegible]
[illegible]
Early Ohio [illegible] 50c bushel.
Good Jar Butter, 8c lb.
Best Dairy Butter, 12c lb.
Fresh Country Eggs, 10c dozen.

FRITZ HOUSE

Herman Freiburger has gone to Atlantic City.

Miss Blanche Brady has returned from Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. James McKay left today for Mackinac.

City Clerk Henry Monning has returned from Detroit.

Master Chester Coleman has been quite ill for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Evans have returned from California.

Charles and Norman Olds will return from Winona tomorrow.

Miss Marguerite Hanna is able to be out, after a week's illness.

Mrs. Belle Reeder and daughter returned today from Hartford City.

Dr. Nelson L. Deming has returned from a visit at Danville, N. Y.

Miss Elizabeth Knight has returned from Philadelphia and the seashore.

John Pfeiffer, the grocer, has gone to New York City, on business and pleasure.

J. W. Burns, secretary of the railroad department, Y. M. C. A., has returned from Winona.

Captain Eastwood and family have returned from a two weeks' stay at a Rome City cottage.

Mrs. Ben McFerran entertained at luncheon Saturday in honor of Joe McFerran, of Cleveland, Ohio.

John L. Currier and family have returned from an outing of two months on the California coast.

Grandma Kerr, of 258 South Calhoun street, has returned from a pleasant visit with Larwill friends.

Hugh Croxton will make a trip on his wheel to Wabash, Goshen, Rochester and other places this week.

Mrs. Schlachter, of Toledo, has returned home after a visit with Mrs. Wieman, of 102 East Lewis street.

Joe McFerran has returned to Cleveland, Ohio, after spending a week with his cousin, Mrs. Jane McFerran.

Miss Mary A. Miller, of Auburn, Ind., is in the city to visit her sisters, Mrs. Joseph J. Baker and Mrs. Henry App.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Bixler, of 213 East Wayne street, have gone to Erie, Pa., for a three weeks' visit with relatives.

Dixon Edgerton, state agent of the Blickensderfer typewriter, returned to Indianapolis today, after several days stay on business.

Mrs. J. G. Stokes was among the excursionists to Niagara Falls yesterday, and before her return she will visit relatives at Cleveland.

Mrs. Will Shelton entertained at tea Thursday in honor of her cousin, Joe McFerran, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Payne, of Toledo, Ohio.

George E. Bolott has been appointed collector for the Tontine Savings association, of Minneapolis, and he will have charge of the collections of this district.

Frank Webster has resumed his position in the Home lunch room after an outing of five weeks spent in Michigan. Part of the time he visited his parents at Charlevoix.

The Eaton paper mill that was partly destroyed some time ago by a wind storm and which is owned by Fort Wayne men, has been rebuilt and will be put in operation in a few days.

F. D. Kephinger is at Chicago on business for the American Bill File company, a business with which he lately became identified. He expects to take in some big orders while in the Garden City.

Costa Shelton, of the New Aveline tonsorial parlors, is taking a vacation. He didn't tell his associates whether he was going to Europe or Bunker Hill, Ind., but the belief is strong that he went to the latter place.

The executive committee of the Knights of the Maccabees will hold a council in this city next month. This is the supreme body. A. E. Thomas, who is a member of the committee, was instrumental in securing the meeting, Goshen being the regular place heretofore.

The Huntington News-Democrat: "Miss Maggie Gaffney, sister of Ed Gaffney, the ball player, who has been the guest of G. W. King and family, returned home to Fort Wayne Monday.—Solon Lenfesty and wife, of Fort Wayne, who attended the funeral of the late Andrew Smith, returned home Monday evening."

The school board met in special session last night, for the purpose of receiving bids for furnishing desks for the four new rooms in the Holton avenue school. There were three bidders and Donohue & Henneberry, of Chicago, offered the lowest figures and got the contract. The new desks will arrive in time for the opening of school next month. The repairs to the building are almost finished, and it is now a handsome structure.

AT THE GREATEST

Peaches, Grapes, Celery, Gem Melons and California Fruits are Much Cheaper.

Michigan Freestone Peaches, 15c basket.
Concord Grapes, 25c basket.
Gem Melons, 25c basket.
California Peaches, 20c dozen.
California Tokay Grapes, 10c lb.
California Bartlett Pears, 2½c each.
California Green Prunes, 15c dozen.
White Plume Celery, 15c dozen.
Country Mills Flour, [illegible]
Fine Large Potatoes, 20c bushel.
Large Lump Starch, 2 lbs, 5c.
Eleven Bars Lenox or Fels-at Soap, 25c.
300 Parlor Matches, 3c box, or one dozen box 30c.

THE R. W. SKELTON CO.

Will Volmer is visiting relatives in Bluffton.

Mrs. George F. Felts has returned from the north.

Dr. and Mrs. Stutz are entertaining Miss Gretchen, of Baltimore.

Misses Bertha Harries and Nellie Patton have gone to Niagara Falls.

Henry Stapleford has gone to Petoskey on business. He will be absent a week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. W. Meyer, who are in Europe, will sail for home next Saturday.

Mrs. C. D. Gorham, Mrs. S. D. Bond and Miss Georgiana Bond have gone to Cleveland.

Mrs. Dora Reeme and children have returned from an extended visit at Milford Center.

Mrs. Kittie O'Leary and daughter, Miss Mary, of this city, are guests of friends in Huntington.

Rev. T. Loring has arrived home from South Bend, where he was conducting revival meetings.

Richmond, Ind., now claims a population of 23,457, a gain since 1890 of more than 6,000 people.

Miss Irma Meisker, stenographer for the Fleming Manufacturing company, is enjoying a week's vacation.

Rector and Mrs. Schick, have returned from Cleveland, where they were visiting their daughter, Mrs. William Streeter.

Among the guests at the Randall: W. H. Ernst, Bluffton; J. B. Tucker, Greencastle; O. D. Johnson, Detroit; Louis Poulson, Cincinnati.

Mrs. Barbara Olinger has returned to her home, near Auburn Junction, after a week's stay at the home of her son, J. H. Olinger, No. 7 Smith street.

Bluffton News: "The Misses Maud, Sophia and Ethel Seabold, of Fort Wayne, are here on a visit.—Harry Lucas, of Fort Wayne, made his regular weekly visit to Bluffton yesterday."

Columbia City Post: "Miss Minnie Strauss entertained friends last evening in honor of her guest, Miss Rose Haffner, of Fort Wayne.—Mrs. Cora Hively, of Fort Wayne, is the guest of her brother, Dr. H. C. Wilup and family."

Portland Sun: "The Evangelical Sunday school's excursion to Fort Wayne, Robison park last week was a very profitable one and will result in adding something like $150 to the Sunday school exchequer. It was one of the most enjoyable and satisfactory excursions of the season."

Huntington Herald: "Mrs. James Hildebrand, of Fort Wayne, is reported quite sick at the W. H. Brooks home, where she is visiting.—Mrs. Joseph Gemmer, and Mrs. Fred Bullerman went to Fort Wayne, Sunday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. John Brown. The deceased was a sister of Mr. Bullerman and a niece of Mrs. Joseph Gemmer."

Dr. Carter, a veterinary surgeon of Toledo, was in the city yesterday and purchased the trotter, Wauseon, an old campaigner with a record of 2:19¼. The horse was owned by a Texas gentleman who had him at the races. Dr. Carter will use him as a driving horse. The doctor is also negotiating with Oscar Wobrock for one of his speedy mares.

Misses Emma C. Weber and Bertha Stahl have returned from an extended tour of the west. The young ladies visited most of the important cities and resorts of the western states and territories, enjoying many side trips from these points as far north as Victoria, B. C. The crowning event of the entire tour is by them considered the seven days spent in Yellowstone National Park.

Kendallville Sun: "F. J. Schulz, of Fort Wayne, who has been visiting friends here for the past week, returned home last evening.—Miss Mabel Lawson, of Fort Wayne, spent Sunday with Mrs. Jacob Reybee and family.—The Misses Carrie Wehrley and Edith Kramer, Claude Kramer, of this city, and Fred Schulz, of Fort Wayne, were highly entertained by the H. H. club, of Fort Wayne, at Rome City, Sunday."

Mrs. Valentine Gruber, a venerable resident who has passed many years of her life in Fort Wayne, reached the seventy-fifth milestone in life's journey yesterday, and in cheerful recognition of the fact twenty of her old friends dropped in last evening to tender their congratulations. The lady was taken completely by surprise and appreciated highly the affectionate greetings she received. Mrs. Gruber resides at 137 College street.

Sister Mary Bruno died yesterday, shortly after noon, at St. Joseph's hospital, the cause of death being quick consumption. She was twenty-two years old and a member of the Handmaids of Jesus Christ. She was in this country only a short time, having come from Germany from the mother house a few months ago. The funeral services were held at the chapel of the hospital this morning at 8:30 o'clock, and the burial will be made tomorrow morning.

HOW CITY OFFICIALS

In Benton Harbor, Mich., Treat the Bell People.

The following item appeared in the Detroit, Mich., Tribune:

"Benton Harbor, Mich., the city council and Bell Telephone Co. are at war here, and this morning (Aug. 31), acting under instructions from the council, the street commissioner tore down all the poles and wires on Ogden avenue, and is tearing down wires in all parts of the city."

$2.00 to Chicago and return via Pennsylvania, Sunday, Aug. 22nd. 1715

BASE BALL

Tomorrow, Springfield vs. Fort Wayne. 1443

WON THIS ONE.

Governors Could Not Solve Big Ed Herr's Curves.

Fort Wayne's Batters Drive the Ball in All Directions and Win an Easy Game.

INTER-STATE LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Per cent.
Toledo	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
New Castle	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dayton	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Youngstown	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fort Wayne	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Mansfield	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Springfield	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wheeling	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

A light drizzle fell most of yesterday afternoon and a chilly breeze blew across the diamond all the time, but nevertheless more than 100 enthusiasts went out to Lakeside to see the first game of the series between the reorganized Springfields and the Fort Waynes. They were repaid by seeing the home team win a good game. The Governors are a much stronger team than at any time this season and no club in the Inter-State league has a license to defeat them without a tussle. At present they are short two pitchers but Manager Whistler has kept the wires warm since his arrival and has two strong twirlers en route. Poole was in the box yesterday and was hit hard by the local batters, Cooke, McKevitt and Kuhn being especially familiar with his curves. His support, however, was not of the best, errors by Kuhn and Ashenbach being responsible for some of the runs.

Herr handled the sphere for the Fort Waynes and kept up his reputation as one of the most reliable pitchers in the Inter-State league. In only one inning, the second, were the visitors able to bunch hits enough to earn a run. In this inning Whistler made a two-bagger and scored on a single hit by Kuhn. The last run of the visitors was scored in the ninth. Whistler reached first on a bad decision by the umpire and scored on a scratch two-base hit by Rupert.

Most of Fort Wayne's runs were scored by hard and timely batting, and if the boys can keep on hitting the ball like they did yesterday there is no reason why the club should not again climb the per centage ladder. The same teams play again today with Madden in the points for the Governors and either Minnehan or Alloway twirling for Fort Wayne.

THE SCORE:

FORT WAYNE.	A.B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cooke, lf	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sharp, 3b	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Gibbons, c	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Parker, rf	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
McKevitt, cf	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kuhn, 1b	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hulds, 2b	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fitch, ss	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Herr, p	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

SPRINGFIELD.	A.B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Farrell, lf	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Ashenbach, cf	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Brady, rf	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Keilly, 3b	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Whistler, 1b	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Woodburn, 2b	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Kuhn, ss	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rupert, c	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Poole, p	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

INNINGS.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Fort Wayne	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Springfield	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Earned runs—Fort Wayne, 4; Springfield, 1. Two-base hits—Whistler, Rupert. Three-base hits—Cooke, McKevitt, Kuhn 2. First base on balls—Off Poole, 3. Hit by pitched ball—By Herr, 1; by Poole, 1. Struck out—By Herr, 3; by Poole, 1. Wild pitch—Poole. Time of game—1:45. Umpire—Gibson.

OTHER INTER-STATE GAMES.

Toledo, Ohio, Aug. 17.—Umpire Keefe permitted more wrangling and kicking than was ever witnessed in a league game here. The game was close so decisions were warmly fought for. McDonough, a new find, did great work at third for the Toledos. Score:

Dayton	0	1	1	0	0	3	0	2	4	—	7
Toledo	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	— 6

Hits—Toledo, 12; Dayton, 14. Errors—Toledo, 2; Dayton, 4. Batteries—Keenan and Arthur; Kossbrough and Kellner. Umpire—Keefe.

Youngstown, Ohio, Aug. 17.—Brodie pitched a great game and had seven hits, a double, and single. Wheeling plays here all week. The score:

Youngstown	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	— 3
Wheeling	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	— 1

Errors—Wheeling, 2. Batteries—For Youngstown, Brodie and Zinram; for Wheeling, Garvey and Messett. Umpire—Gilman.

New Castle, Pa., Aug. 16.—The New Castle-Mansfield game was postponed on account of rain.

INTER-STATE LEAGUE.

Dayton at Toledo.
Springfield at Fort Wayne.
Mansfield at New Castle.
Wheeling at Youngstown.

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

National League—Boston, 5; Washington, 2. Baltimore, 14; Brooklyn, 5. Pittsburg, 3; Louisville, 2. New York, 7; Philadelphia, 2.

Western League—Kansas City, 11; Grand Rapids, 6. St. Paul, 10; Columbus, 3. Indianapolis, 5; Minneapolis, 2.

Western Association—Rockford, 8; Burlington, 4. Quincy, 11; Cedar Rapids, 5. Des Moines, 8; Dubuque, 7. Peoria, 3; St. Joseph, 1.

NOTES.

Minnehan is twirling today.

Herr pitched another of his masterly games yesterday.

Photographer Barrows today took a group picture of the Fort Wayne ball players.

The Young Broadway Stars won their first game from the Young Standards by a score of 20 to 8.

Fitch's error was on a hard chance and at that the general opinion was that he threw his man out at first.

Manager Whistler has signed Pitcher Jack Dolan, of Newport, Ky., and is after another twirler named Green.

Cogswell and Hedlund were fined $25 and $50 respectively and because the fines were held out they jumped their contracts and did not come to Fort Wayne.

The Inter-State league has already turned out three players for the National league this season. They are: Jesse Hoffmeister, with Pittsburg; Brown, with Cleveland, and Hickman, with Boston. Many more will be drafted at the end of the season.

Cooke, Kihm and McKevitt were strictly in the batting yesterday. They are having a close battle for the lead in base hits, the score standing now: Kihm, 129; McKevitt, 127; Cooke, 126.

Stahl has made sixteen two-base hits, eleven three baggers and two home runs this season and ranks ninth in total bases. Considering the games played he must be first in percentage of total bases.

Manager Anderson, of the Youngstown base ball club, has signed his first player for 1898, the contract of Pitcher Ed Mackey, of Lima, being received yesterday. Mackey will join Youngstown at the close of the Lima schedule.

Arnold's Bromo-Celery. Head queer? This remedy will clear it. Try it. 10cts. Sold by Gross & Pellens.

SION S. BASS POST, NO. 40, G. A. R.

Extends a cordial invitation to all comrades and friends to accompany them on their trip to the National encampment at Buffalo. A special train will leave Fort Wayne at 8:30 a. m., Aug. 23rd, via the Nickel Plate Road.

H. C. McMAKIN, Post Commander.

1715

Attention, Sir Knights.

Sir Knight John W. Phelps died Tuesday morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. A. W. Reed, 149 Rockhill street. The funeral will be held from the residence Thursday morning, Aug. 19th, at 10 o'clock, under the auspices of Fort Wayne Commandery No. 4, K. T.

You are requested to meet at the asylum at 9 o'clock, sharp, armed and equipped as a Knight Templar.

J. F. Wing, Commander.
W. J. Probasco, Recorder.

FOR SALE.

Privileges for refreshments, at the Lakeside park for Labor Day, such as ice cream, lemonade, peanuts, candy, popcorn, etc. Will be sold as a whole or in part. For particulars call on or address

John Kerr, 140 Webster St.

NEW TOLL LINES.

Service of the National Widens Range of the Home Exchange.

The formation of the National Telephone and Telegraph company in this city last week will greatly improve the service of the Home Company exchange, and will add to its revenues, because of the wider use to its patrons. The new toll company has connections with 150 cities and towns having independent exchanges within a radius of 100 miles of Fort Wayne. The patrons of the Home exchange can talk to all these direct, with no cost for messenger service, avoiding the delay of sending out for the parties with whom it is desired to talk.

Prominent among the towns that can be reached are Albion, Auburn, Bluffton, Bowling Green, O., Decatur, Defiance, O., Findley, O., Garrett, Huntington, Kendallville, LaGrange, Montpelier, Portland, Toledo, O., and many others in every direction.

It happened the other day that a traveling man desiring to talk from Garrett to parties in Fort Wayne unthoughtedly went to the Bell Telephone lines and had to wait three-quarters of an hour before he could find the party. Had he used the new toll line service he would have been connected by the Home exchange to the place of business of the party and could have transacted his business in one fifth the time. 1t

Sunday, Aug. 22nd, to Chicago and return via Pennsylvania for $2.00. Train leaves at 3:55 a. m.; in Chicago at 8:10 a. m. Returning leave Chicago at 8 p. m., or 11:30 p. m. 1715

Tired people desiring a good and beneficial rest should go to Clear Lake, Ind. Tickets via L. S. & M. S., good fifteen days, at $1.75 for the round trip. 5-eod-12t.

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WE ARE SHOWING EARLY ARRIVALS —OF— **New Fall Dress Goods.**

A splendid variety at 25c, 39c, 45c, 50c, 62½c, 75c and $1.00 yd.

Also exclusive Novelties, only one pattern of a kind, at $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00 yd; all imported long before the TARIFF BILL was passed; you get them at the LOW prices.

AT THE SILK COUNTER. We place on Sale 20 pieces of Black Figured Gros Grain Silk at 75c yard, regular $1.00 goods.

IN THE CLOAK DEPARTMENT. The new Fall styles of CAPES and JACKETS are arriving daily. Buy the NEW STYLES for early fall wear. NEW STYLES IN LADIES' BICYCLE SUITS.

BICYCLE FREE.—A Ladies' Bicycle given free to the person buying the most goods during the month of August. Save your bills and present them to us Sept. 1st. Help your friends along by giving them your bills.

ONE PRICE TO ALL....

THE PEOPLE'S STORE,

....BEADELL & COMPANY

The Best Lighted Store in the City....

HUNTINGTON RACES. HALF FARE.

August 18, 19, 20 Wabash will sell round trip tickets to Huntington for 75 cents, good to return up to and including August 21. 1463

See the splendid line of summer suitings at unusually low prices at G. Schmidt's, merchant tailor, 70 East Main street. 7tf

MONEY TO LOAN On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, Rooms 6-7, Bass Blk. 2tf

For Rent—Rooms at the Y. W. C. A. for self supporting women at very reasonable prices. Inquire at No. 49-51 West Berry Street. 1tf

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Two Superb Bedroom Suits.

In the Green Bedroom of our Exposition Rooms we show one of the most magnificent Mahogany Bedroom Suits ever produced in America. It is well worth $250.

OUR PRICE IS BUT $148.50.

We have also just received for another of our Exposition Bedrooms a very elaborate and most beautiful Circassian Walnut Bedroom Suit—the latest fine novelty in woods—which in Chicago would cost you about $250.

OUR PRICE IS BUT $119.

Come in and feast your eyes on these two Suits.

Foster Furniture Co.

THE EVERETT PIANO With Mandolin attachments is sold in Fort Wayne only by Guy Conklin, room 2, Arcade. Mr. Conklin also makes a specialty of tuning and repairing pianos at reasonable rates.

165

Pieces of Libby's cut Glass at....

HALF PRICE.

All Pieces marked in Plain figures....

We give you these prices to enable us to retire from business.

H. N. Ward,

Cheap Crockery Store.
8 W. COLUMBIA ST.

A BARGAIN

—IN—

BABY CARRIAGES...

For the Next Thirty Days

AT COST.

PFEIFFER & SCHLATTER,

38 and 40 East Columbia Street

Money to Loan

—AT THE—

FORT WAYNE REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE,

No. 60 Harrison Street.

24-eod-1m.

Martin's RACK WATER TRAP

Prevents Sewerage from backing in your cellar.

Circulars and full Particulars on Application....

EMMETT MARTIN, Plumber and Gas Fitter, 104 Buchanan Cor. Hanna. Telephone 379....

IMPERIAL

AGAINST THE FIELD.

In the 2:08 pace last Thursday, Fort Wayne's favorite was defeated. There is another Fort Wayne favorite that, in a race for merit, cannot be defeated. Its name is IMPERIAL, and it can be backed with safety against the entire field of Baking Powders.